Mr. S. Narayana Aiyar : The scheme has not yet been finally sanctioned by Government.

Time scale.

93. ***Mr. N. Narayana Kurup :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether they have any proposal to fix a time scale for the staff in the Secretariat and Account Office ;

(*b*) if so, what is the nature of the scale and;

(*c*) whether that gives any immediate benefit to those who have put in a service from 3 to 30 years after start on Rs. 20-30 and Rs. 30-45 and Rs. 45-75 respectively ?

Mr. S. Narayana Aiyar : (*a*) and (*b*) Yes. The proposal for the fixing of a time scale of pay for the ministerial staff of the Secretariat and the Accountant-General's office has been passed by the Finance Committee and the Sri Mulam Assembly. The attention of the member is also invited to pages 105 to 112 of the preliminary edition of the Budget for 1122.

(*c*) The question will be considered by Government after formal orders have been issued on the proposals.

Mr. N. Narayana Kurup : May I know whether the acceptance of the recommendations of the Standing Finance Committee was subject to a condition ?

Mr. S. Narayana Aiyar : That will be considered separately.

T. A. of Officers.

94. ***Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) when an officer in the Government service is transferred from one station to another, whether T. A. is allowed to the members of the officer's family ;

(*b*) if the answer to part (*a*) is in the negative, how is the officer expected to take the members of his family with him ;

(*c*) what is the practice prevalent in Madras as regards T. A. to the members of the family of the officer who is transferred from one station to another ;

(*d*) whether it is a fact that in the Madras Presidency when officer in Government service is transferred from one place to another, T. A. is allowed to all the members of his family including his servants ;

(*e*) whether they are aware that according to the latest amendment to the Madras T. A. Rules, Police officers who are required to attend the Police Medal Parades at Madras to receive the King's Police or Fire Services or the Indian Police Medals or Sanads for the titles of Rao Bahadur, Khan Sahib and Khan Bahadur are each permitted to take with them to the Parade two members of their family and to draw T. A. to the latter also for their journey to Madras and back ?

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